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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Jacques DIAZ et al.)
Serial No.: 09/909,797) Group Art Unit: 1623
Filed: July 23, 2001) Examiner: G. Krishnan
For: COMPOSITIONS OF)
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Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of July 30, 2002. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Applicants hereby petition for two months extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$400.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	54	-	46	8	x \$ 18	\$ 144.00
Indep.	4	-	4	0	x \$ 84	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$280	
					Subtotal	\$ 144.00
					Reduction by ½ if small entity	-
					TOTAL	\$ 144.00

A fee of \$144.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.

A fee of \$[Fee] to cover [Title of other paper(s)] is enclosed.

A check for \$544.00 to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: December 20, 2002

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